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Dear Mr. Weisberg,

This is just a quick note to acknowledge your kind letter of March 29. I am most pleased to see that you are kept busy with your new book. I am only about half way through it but I believe it to be truly a "giant".

I really do wish that you had the opportunity to get back to work on the Kennedy assassination. You have done unquestionably the best work in the field. In fact, Mark Lane and others of his ilk look like pikers next to your fine research. I am, with one important exception, pleased with Photographic Whitewash. If only your funds were such that you could have published many of the photos you refer to! I have a set of the Hearings so things you refer to in there I can dig up. In my estimation the only other really comprehensive source for photographs is Six Seconds in Dallas by Josiah Thompson. If you have the time I would be greatly interested in hearing about your conclusions with regard to Thompson's book. To me some of his points make very good sense while in others he doesn't go far enogh in analysis.

I appreciate your doing everything you can to get Xeroxed copies of the Post-Mortem books to me. Naturally I am anxious to get them so anything else you can do to speed up the process would be greatly appreciated. As just kind of an afterthought on our phone conversation, you said that the price of Xeroxing was so expensive in the Washington area. I can get it done around here for 5¢ for a legal-sized page. If there is anything that you want Xeroxed that I can do for you at this fairly low price just let me know and I'd be happy to take care of it for you.

Once again, wishing you the best of luck in your ventures with your new book and praying to God that you get back to work on the JFK thing soon, I leave you for now.

Most appreciative of your efforts for me and the Nation, I remain,

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P.S. I appreciated, too, hearing about your trials and tribulations with Foreman, Huie and the other "honest men" of the Ray case.

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